

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:

BIG LOTS, INC., *et al.*,

Debtors.¹

Chapter 11

Case No. 24-11967 (JKS)

(Jointly Administered)

Obj. Deadline: November 1, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. (ET)

Hearing Date: November 8, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. (ET)

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ORDER UNDER BANKRUPTCY CODE
SECTION 1103 AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF FTI
CONSULTING, INC. AS FINANCIAL ADVISOR TO THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE
OF UNSECURED CREDITORS EFFECTIVE AS OF SEPTEMBER 25, 2024**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on October 18, 2024, the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the “Committee”) of the above-captioned debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, the “Debtors”), filed with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the “Court”) the *Application for Order Under Bankruptcy Code Section 1103 Authorizing the Employment and Retention of FTI Consulting, Inc. as Financial Advisor to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors Effective as of September 25, 2024* (the “Application”).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing to consider the relief sought in the Application will be held on **November 8, 2024, at 10:30 a.m. (ET)** before The Honorable J. Kate Stickles, United States Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Delaware, at the Court, 5th Floor, Courtroom No. 6, 824 North Market Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801.

¹ The debtors and debtors in possession in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of their respective employer identification numbers, are as follows: Great Basin, LLC (6158); Big Lots, Inc. (9097); Big Lots Management, LLC (7948); Consolidated Property Holdings, LLC (0984); Broyhill LLC (7868); Big Lots Stores - PNS, LLC (5262); Big Lots Stores, LLC (6811); BLBO Tenant, LLC (0552); Big Lots Stores - CSR, LLC (6182); CSC Distribution LLC (8785); Closeout Distribution, LLC (0309); Durant DC, LLC (2033); AVDC, LLC (3400); GAFDC LLC (8673); PAFDC LLC (2377); WAFDC, LLC (6163); INFDC, LLC (2820); Big Lots eCommerce LLC (9612); and Big Lots F&S, LLC (3277). The address of the debtors’ corporate headquarters is 4900 E. Dublin-Granville Road, Columbus, OH 43081.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that objections, if any, to the entry of an order granting the relief sought in the Application must be filed on or before **November 1, 2024, at 4:00 p.m. (ET)** (the “Objection Deadline”) with the Court, 824 North Market Street, 3rd Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801. At the same time, you must serve a copy of the response or objection upon the undersigned proposed counsel to the Committee so as to be received on or before the Objection Deadline.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT IF YOU FAIL TO PROPERLY FILE AND SERVE A RESPONSE ON OR BEFORE THE OBJECTION DEADLINE, THE COURT MAY GRANT THE RELIEF REQUESTED IN THE APPLICATION WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE OR HEARING.

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Dated: October 18, 2024
Wilmington, Delaware

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